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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: WITTICH KAULE ET AL.

SERIAL NO.: 09/147,398

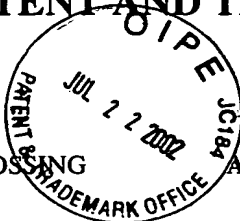
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FOR: METHOD FOR REPRODUCING EMBOSSED  
PLATES

GROUP ART UNIT: 3722

EXAMINER: E. Ergenbright

ATTY. REFERENCE: JEK/BEU



PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant requests that the time for taking action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for:

- ☐ One Month ☒ Three Months  
☐ Two Months ☐ Four Months  
☐ Five Months

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17 for the extension of time is \$ 920.00.

- ☒ Fee enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension of time to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge fee to Deposit Account Number 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☐ Applicant is a small entity entitled to pay reduced fees in this application.  
A verified small entity statement ☐ has been filed. ☐ is enclosed.

Also enclosed is a:

- ☒ Response ☐ Notice of Appeal ☐ Appeal Brief

☒ APPENDIX A (CLEAN COPY OF AMENDED CLAIMS); APPENDIX B (MARKED UP COPY OF AMENDED CLAIMS); APPENDIX C (CLEAN COPY OF AMENDED PARAGRAPHS); APPENDIX D (MARKED UP COPY OF AMENDED PARAGRAPHS)

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